

JAMES MONROE.

JANUARY 30, 1857.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. SAPP, from the Committee on Military Affairs, made the following

REPORT.

The Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the memorial of James Monroe, respectfully report:

The memorialist prays Congress to pay him for three horses which he lost in the war of 1812, in the public service, from the following diseases: One died from a snake bite, another from a dislocation of the shoulder, and the third with the cholic. The period of this singular fatality of the petitioner's horses is so long since, the evidence produced to sustain the claim so insufficient, and the character of the same being outside of the rule governing Congress in allowing relief for horses lost, as to force your committee to ask to be discharged from its further consideration.

